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Marion County Prosecutor's Office to offer free public forums to protect seniors from fraud and abuse

(Indianapolis, Ind.) The Marion County Prosecutor's Office will offer three Power Against Fraud seminars later this month. The seminars are presented by a Marion County Deputy Prosecutor and address topics that include personal safety, identity theft, telemarketing scams, and home improvement fraud.

These events are designed for senior citizens, caregivers, and family members to provide effective strategies to recognize and prevent seniors from becoming victims of fraud and common scams. The presentations are free and open to the public.

What: Power Against Fraud seminars

When & Where:

Tuesday, January 27, 2015 2:00 p.m. Meadow Lakes 200 Meadow Lakes Dr. Mooresville

Wednesday, January 28, 2015 2:00 p.m. Brownsburg Meadows 7133 Meadow Trail Brownsburg

Thursday, January 29, 2015 2:00 p.m. Rosewalk Assisted Living Apartments 1301 N. Ritter Ave. Indianapolis

To learn more about the *Power Against Fraud* presentation, please contact Deputy Prosecutor Cindy Oetjen at 327-5716 or visit www.indy.gov/MCPO/seniors.

The Marion County Prosecutor's Office Community Prosecution Division offers crime prevention programming free of charge to neighborhood organizations, faith-based organizations, and community groups. Presentations include burglary prevention, landlord training, and internet safety for parents and children. To learn more or to schedule a presentation, please contact mcpo@indy.gov.